3. गोवा	18.60
4. गुजरात	215.36
5. हरियाणा	31.11
6. हिमाचल प्रदेश	219.28
7. कर्नाटक	150.03
8. केरल	156.04
9. मध्य प्रदेश	97.55
10. मणिपुर	38.11
11. मेघालय	59.92
12. मिजोरम	20.58
13. नागालैण्ड	88.91
14. उड़ीसा	61.02
15. तमिलनाडु	162.30
16. त्रिपुरा	9.85
17. उत्तर प्रदेश	97.90
18. पश्चिम बंगाल	92.51

(ख) जी, नहीं।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Increase in Menace of Narcotics in Gujarat

77. SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOLANKI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the narcotics menace is increasing in Gujarat;

(b) if so, the number of drug peddlers arrested during the last three years and quantity of drugs seized during the same period in the State; and

(c) the number and details of drug peddlers prosecuted in the state during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M. V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY): (a) and (b) Since sale and consumption of narcotics is a clandestine activity, it cannot be said definitely whether it is increasing in Gujarat or otherwise. However, available information about the quantity of drug seized and the number of persons arrested in the State during 1991, 1992 and 1993 is given below:—

Drug	1991	1992	1993
	(Quantity seized in Kgs.)		
Opium	52	53	27
Heroin	2.500	0.805	1
Ganja	278.972	174.171	33.000
Hashish	60.000	297	90
Number of Persons arrested	346	315	226

(c) The number of pending court cases in the State during 1991, 1992 and 1993 are as follows:—

1991	1992	1993
235	215	95

There is some time lag between arrest and prosecution because investigation takes time.

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78. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA:
SHRI VIRENDRA KATARIA:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to refer to the answer to